

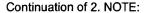
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THE REPLY FILED 05 May 2003 FAILS TO PLACE THIS Therefore, further action by the applicant is required to average final rejection under 37 CFR 1.113 may only be either: (1) condition for allowance; (2) a timely filed Notice of Appeal Examination (RCE) in compliance with 37 CFR 1.114.	oid abandonment of this applicated at the control of the control o	ation. A proper reply h places the applica	y to a tion in
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a) The period for reply expires 3 months from the mailing date b) The period for reply expires on: (1) the mailing date of this A no event, however, will the statutory period for reply expire la ONLY CHECK THIS BOX WHEN THE FIRST REPLY WAS 706.07(f). Extensions of time may be obtained under 37 CFR 1.136(a). The fee have been filed is the date for purposes of determining the period o fee under 37 CFR 1.17(a) is calculated from: (1) the expiration date of t (2) as set forth in (b) above, if checked. Any reply received by the Offic timely filed, may reduce any earned patent term adjustment. See 37 C	Advisory Action, or (2) the date set forth the territhm of the mailing of the mai	g date of the final rejection HE FINAL REJECTION. R 1.136(a) and the apprount of the fee. The appropriately set in the final originally set in the final original origin	on. See MPEP opriate extension opriate extension Office action: or
1. A Notice of Appeal was filed on Appellant's 37 CFR 1.192(a), or any extension thereof (37 CFR	Brief must be filed within the pe	eriod set forth in f the appeal.	
$2. \boxtimes$ The proposed amendment(s) will not be entered be	cause:		
(a) 🛛 they raise new issues that would require furthe	r consideration and/or search (s	see NOTE below);	
(b) they raise the issue of new matter (see Note be	elow);		
(c) they are not deemed to place the application in issues for appeal; and/or	better form for appeal by mate	rially reducing or sin	nplifying the
(d) they present additional claims without cancelir	ng a corresponding number of fi	nally rejected claims	3.
NOTE: See Continuation Sheet.			
3. Applicant's reply has overcome the following rejecti	on(s):		
 Newly proposed or amended claim(s) would l canceling the non-allowable claim(s). 	be allowable if submitted in a se	parate, timely filed a	amendment
5. ☐ The a) ☐ affidavit, b) ☐ exhibit, or c) ☐ request for application in condition for allowance because:	reconsideration has been considue	dered but does NO	place the
 The affidavit or exhibit will NOT be considered becaraised by the Examiner in the final rejection. 	use it is not directed SOLELY to	o issues which were	newly
7. For purposes of Appeal, the proposed amendment (explanation of how the new or amended claims wo	s) a) will not be entered or b) uld be rejected is provided below	⊠ will be entered a w or appended.	nd an
The status of the claim(s) is (or will be) as follows:			
Claim(s) allowed:			
Claim(s) objected to: <u>2</u> .			
Claim(s) rejected: <u>1,3,5,6,9,13 and 16</u> .			
Claim(s) withdrawn from consideration: <u>4,7,8,10-12</u>			
8. The proposed drawing correction filed on is a			er.
9. Note the attached Information Disclosure Statement	t(s)(PTO-1449) Paper No(s)	—·^ /	
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Continuation of 2. NOTE: the independent claim 1 is amended with the new issues: a temperature change of a retardation value of liquid crystal device is reduced ONLY by changing a pre-tilt angle of liquid crystal molecules